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Through all the gathering mists of age, One scene and season lingers yet ;

The first ensumped on memory's page,

'Twas when the orb of day declined

Beneath the many colored west,

I'd seek my mother's knee, and find

Upon her besom perfect rest;

And when the stars began to shine

From out the ether, blue and deep,

Repeat the prayer whose opening line

The mother sank to sleep one night,

Then manhood, with its perils, came;

Ambition's fervid, quenchless flame,

If thus I sin, how can I say,

Around us flit, on silent wing,

Alas ! how many sparkling eyes,

Before another morn shall rise,

I know, ore morning dawns for me,

O, Father take me home to Thee,

"And if I die before I wake."

The silver cord of life may break

For, "Earth to earth and dust to dust"

Must soon be chanted o'er our sod;

O, welcome Faith! With what delight]

When friends we love with forms of light,

And sense and thought their throne forsake,

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Secretary Seward left Washington on the

health, and without any important national

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Two ladies and a gentleman were fear-

by the accidental igniting of a cup of ben-

zoine which had been left on a hot stove.

man are lying in a critical condition.

We near the river, deep and wide,

And for the rest, we can but trust

The over-loving Father, God !

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When life's low tide is ebbing fast,

Be then my earliest prayer my last;

"I pray the Lord my soul to take."

killing and wounding several persons.

And passion's baleful furnace fires,

But oft the thought had power to sway Amid temptations fleres and deep :

"I pray the Lord my soul to keep?

The viewless messengers of death;

Where health is now, an hour may bring

The burning brow and fevered breath

That close to night on scenes of mirth,

Shall look their last on things of earth.

And woke in ovariasting day!

Was, " Now I lay me down to sleep."

O, childhood hours-how calm, how bright

How like a dream they passed away!

Its high wrought hopes, its vague desires;

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The Guerilla Foray.

burning rays as a party of thirty men rode out of "Garitta de Belah," and galloped iron hand of the demon of strife, and perrapidly along the causeway leading to the village of San Angel. They were dressed in the uniform of mounted riflemen, and the relentless passions of the mind, racked and tossed by the violence before the swords of the relentless passions of the mind, racked SUBSCRIPTION - One Copy One Year Four Dollars, inva-riably in advance; time Copy One Month delivered, Fifty Cents. were mounted on full blooded American and tossed by the vicissitudes of war, and horses. They were evidently upon "pass," horses. They were evidently upon "pass," innocence and beauty were sacrificed upon as no officer was with them, and bound upon the bloodstained car of dissention. some jolly excursion into the country. They had reached the cross road, leading from the town of Tucubaya to Penyan, when a single horseman was observed advancing rapidly toward them from the Penyan side, his form upraised in his stirrups, and his Religious, Marriage, Birth and Death Netices solicited, and will be willingly inserted FREE OF CHARGE. Obstuaries will be charged for at advertising rates. whole demeanor giving evidence of extreme

"I say, Abe, that fellow is making for us; something has happened, and he wants our assistance," said one of the party, tapping a young man of some twenty-three upon the shoulder, "what say you?" The person addressed as Abe, took a long look at the horseman, and then replied:

"If that isn't old Ricardo, I am very "What, the old Spaniard who owns the large hacienda near San Antonio, and who has such a pretty daughter?" asked the "The same; but see, the old man beckons

us to meet him; let us go." And putting spurs to his horse, he bounded swiftly forward to meet him. "Let's after him, boys, and if there's any

fun on hand, we'll have a share in it," shouted the other, and the whole party dashed on after him. In a few moments they were alongside the old man, and having reined in their steeds, Abbott said:

Wrong ? "Senors Americanos! my child! my daughter!" replied the old man in tones of 'What of her! speak! tell me!" exclaimed Abbott with startling energy, and his eyes flashed as he grasped the Spaniard's

"Ventell, the guerilla!" gasped the eld man in reply. "He has not dared," began the fiery youth -but he was cut short by the old man, who

"He has robbed my house, and carried off my child! Oh! if you are men, fly to "When was it done?" exclaimed half a dozen voices, and all eyes were eagerly bent upon Ricardo as he replied-"Not two hours since; they can be easily

by a dozen voices. "One hundred in number," and the Spaniard gazed with a despairing look on the

little party before him. "Boys," said Abbott in a firm tone, "who of you will go with me? For myself, I will rescue her, or die in the attempt." I," was the response of every member of that little band, as the caught the daring A court martial is being organized in

spirit of Abbott. "Then, lead on, old man, and ere the sun sets, your child shall be restored to your The Spaniard needed no second bidding,

A terrific tornado swept over Palaski, Tenn., on the 28th, demolishing houses, and but wheeling his snorting charger, he buried his spurs in his flanks, and the noble steed bore him swiftly onward. Over the Henry Winter Davis, of Baltimore, one cross road leading to San Antonio they flew of the ablest as well as one of the most vi- on their errand of mercy. Down the giant clent Radicals in the Southern States is causeway of Antonio, and over the fatal bridge of Cherubusco they went, and the spires of San Augustine glittered in the Telegraph business has become quite distance, but no fee was yet to be seen. The brisk between Memphis and Nashville-so old man rode before, his gray locks streaming in the wind, and his dark eye fixed with much so, that another line of wire is in conan eagle glance before him, scanning the wide plain and the rock bound sides of Con-Mr. Crosby, proprietor of the Chicago treras. Suddenly raising his long bony arm, he pointed far on before him, to where Opra House, has failed to the tune of \$400,the road ascended the mountain height of 000, and the Opera House and other proper-Cholacineo, and shouted-

"There they are! Forward! forward!" A suppressed yell burst from twenty lips, Young Ketchum, the New York theif, has and as many hands sought their sabre hilts, and loosend the shining blades in their scabbeen tried and sentenced to four years and six months' imprisonment! It's a pity to bards, while a stern resolve rested upon the treat him so unkindly for only stealing three flushed and heated brow of each. Across the outskirts of San Augustine, and down by the placid lake of Choloo they sped, and The military made a New Year's call on the next moment they were mounting the he President on the 1st. General Grant, rugged heights of Cholacinco. On the top the President on the 1st. General Grant, they paused, and down in the vale beyond, and Sec. Stanton headed the army, and not over a half mile off, they discovered the Admiral Farragut and Secretary Wellshead-

way, or barn door in Norway is decorated "Never!" burst from the pallid lips of died. with a sheaf of corn fixed on the top of a hip'a pole, from which it is intended the

"But you are unused to scenes of strife; your daughter?"

The Post's Washington special says there "No more!" said the old man, " if a parent strikes not for his child, who will?" are rumors, not generally credited, that, The enemy now discovered the approach within two or three weeks, the President of the little party, and began to hasten their will issue a proclamation declaring the work speed, but as the large horses of the Americans rapidly outstripped the Mustangs, it The operations of the United States Treasthe race. Finding escape impossible, the Alabama soldiers, ury at Washington, for the month of Deguerillas wheeled about, and hastily forming cember, was upward of seven millions dola line, came thundering on to meet them. lars per day. There seems little or no abate-

ment of the labors of this vast and importand trust to the sabre and the pistol for the victory. Forward, and God defend the The gold coinage at the mint during the month of December was one million one

A deafening yell burst from the little band as Abbott concluded, and unslinging lars, and copper coinage, over one hundred and three thousand dollars.

as they closed with the enemy, which brought had predetermined its surrender. The most same description from the same mother had predetermined its surrender. The most striking proof of this is, that on his retreat tory or death. Terrible, indeed was that naval steamer De Soto, for an ocean trip to ration. A dozen of the guerillas sank before ate and strategie retreats-and nothing whatthe southward. The voyage is now said to be merely undertaken for the benefit of his One of the ladies died from the effects of Ricardo? Kneeling beside you rock, with their homes at almost every mile of the have you any Fine Cut about you?" "Moth-his pale and haggared face upturned to route. We have seen that Pickett was left er is the battle o'er, and is it safe for me to Heaven, while the blood cozed from a deep with only a handfull of men. Some of the Come Home from Canada?' and (by rewound in his breast, he is bending over the brigade commanders had not hesitated to quest of many families who haven't heard Secretary McCulloch has published the lifeless form of his daughter. From a bullet advise their men that the war was virtually it.) "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys monthly statement of the public debt, as it hole in her forehead the tide of life has over, and they had better go home and "make are Munching t" While the enraptured ear appears from the books and returns in the ebbed away, and her levely locks are dabbled crops." Treasury Department on the first of Janury, eighteen hundred and sixty-six: Debt bearing interest in coin, one thousand one hundred and sixty-six: Debt bear that of her father. Standing beside them, with his foot resting upon the body of Ventural Interest in coin, one thousand one hundred and sixty-six: Debt bear that of her father. Standing beside them, with his foot resting upon the body of Ventural Interest in coin, one thousand one hundred and sixty-six: Debt bear that of her father. Standing beside them, omission of the measures against straggling with his foot resting upon the body of Ventural Interest in coin, one thousand one hundred and sixty-six: Debt bear that of her father. Standing beside them, as surrender of his army. He carried off green baze cost forty cents a yard at Mr. dred and sixty-seven million one hundred gard brow is furrowed with lines of heartfelt from Petersburg and Richmond all the trans- Stewart's store. It was bought in deference and forty-eight thousand two hundred and ninety-one dollars and eighty cents.

The second organization among the French Canadians, residents in the state of New York, has commenced with an internal quarrel similar to that of the Fenians. One faction is anxious to plunge headlong into war, declare against England, establish at his side, and dropping upon one knee, he supported the sinking form of Ricardo in his arms.

that the army was soon to be halted for a recently edified the audience by his unexpected; and Gen. Curtis Lee, when cappeted reply to the preacher's text which his arms. departments at Elmira, N. Y., and to invade

muring waters of Lake Otholo, and buried the father and daughter side by side, and The noonday sun was sending down its. the ripple of the gentle waters sing a requi

> Ex-President Davis' Family. A correspondent of the New York Tri- not so flattering as ima been indicated in

ane writes from Montreal, Canada: The Davis family is living in this city, and Howell, Miss Howell, and "Willie" Davis Margaret Davis is at the "Sacred Heart" ly men, etc. Owing to the sudden depreciation of the Confederate paper money, the family found themselves \$5,000 less in funds than they expected, and were, therefore, adjournment.

wery much cramped for means—so much so Mr. Arnell has remained at home deterwas still smaller.

Mrs. Howell is a fine woman of sixty-four rears of age, tall and stately. Mrs. Howell is a fine, tall young woman,

uite Southern in look, etc. She is rather too tall to look well. Master William Davis, a fine boy of four their steeds, Abbott said:

"What's the matter, Ricardo—is anything wrong?"

years or more of age. He looks a little like his father, the nose promising to be aquiline. His forehead is a very good one.

Of Miss Margaret Davis and Master Jeff-

some points. As may be imagined, the family are very warm on the matter of the late rebel cause. table, and with a violent sweep of his hand, sent them all rolling on the floor, shouting at the same time, "that's the way I would insisted on as a part of it.

make the Yankees fly.' The same boy has his pious moments also, for he often prays to God to bless his father "How many did they number?' was asked and "open the prison doors for him." All the family attend the Episcopal church, going to the Cathedral, the fashionable one

Alabama's Losses in the War.

We make the following extracts from the report of W. H. Fowler, late Superintendent | Confederate States as a helligarest power, of Army Records for the State of Alabama, that a contract payable in Confederate comrecently laid before the Legislature by the ey, made in a locality that was in the milita-Provisional Governor. It is a melancholy showing :

State, and their casualties by death or other- the note fell due. wise; but an approximation might be made by considering the number in the Army of Important Revenue Decision.—The law Northern Virginia in comparison with the in refrence to stamping receipts for wareresidue. It will be under the mark to as house goods, has heretolore been construed sume that the number of Alabamians in so as to require those receipts to bear stamps that army was not less than 30,000 exclus according to the value of the goods inive of the 26th Alabama infantry regiment, which was there for a considerable time, and suffered severely—with the loss by death the denomination of the stamp to be used. from battle and disease, in connection with The commissioner has just decided that no the commands, of over 9,000, or a fraction | receipt for warehouse goods requires a less than one-third! This does not include stamp of a higher denomination than 25 deaths after resignation, retirement or discharge; and of these classes I find that about one-half are either dead or permanently disabled. To include the deaths during the last days of that army would make his estimate fall far short of the real-

I am satisfied that I am safe in saying that | Virginia were not more than one-fourth of the proposed amendment to the Constitumay be somewhat less for the remainder, it ance of the Freedmen's Bureau until the is not materially less, except it may be of killed in battle. Besides what I have lost, youd jeopardy. I have the names of nearly 20,000 dead, and robbers riding slowly along, unconscious of this cannot exceed one-half of the whole It is a mournful record, but honorable to the "Fall back, Ricardo, and leave the work to us," said Abbott, addressing the Spaniard. alike honorable to the State for which they

I assert with confidence that Alabama sent more troops into the field in proportion you might fall, and then what would become to population than any State of the South, and that her loss was heavier than any other, irrespective of population. I am certain, too, that when General Lee surrendered his army the representation from Alabama on the field that day was inferior to no other Southern States in numbers, and surely not in gallantry. My records illustrate these, became evident that a few minutes must end with other important facts, in the history of

"Now, boys, let them have a good volley from the rifles, and then throw them down, Lee's surrender, is from the forthcoming volume of Pollard's | Southern history of The Fourth Year of the War."

their rifles, they poured in a murderous fire and Petersburg, had decided, in his own with six fingers on each hand and six toes as they closed with the enemy, which brought | mind, upon the hopelessness of the war, and | on each foot, which was the second of the bloody encounter, but it was not of long du- gling-a thing unprecedented in all deliber- Review 23 ult. the first fatal fire; and as they closed in to a ever done to maintain discipline. The men hand to hand struggle, the tall steeds of the were not animated by the style of general tue for his Mormon lectures at Irving Hall, Americans trampled down the lighter one: orders usual on such occasions. They strag- New York, as follows: of the enemy, and the deadly revolver told gled and deserted at will. An idea ran The festivities will be commenced by the with powerful effect upon the cowardly robbers. One after another they fled from the abandonment of Richmond the war was the same street with Mr. Gottschalk. The field, and ere a half an hour passed, the remnant of the small band remained its masters. Ten had fallen in the strife, and lay commingled with the bodies of forty bandits upon the gory sod. But where was abandonment of Richmond the war was hopeless, and that they would be justified in refusing to fight outside the limits of their own State. Nothing was done to check the notorious circulation of this notion in the sist of a medly of airs, including the touching new ballad, "Dear Sister, is there any army. The Virginia troops scattered off to the remained its own State. Nothing was done to check the notorious circulation of this notion in the law was the same street with Mr. Gottschalk. The

starting tear of sympathy from the eye, and | and return to their homes, shows very well turned to hide the emotions of swelling that there was no firm purpose to carry the effusion of the renowned Artemus we have hearts. The old man motioned to Abbott to war out of the limits of that State. Prison-not yet seen in print. It is said that A. W. draw near; and in an instant the youth was ers taken on the retreat invariably reported being at one of the Naw York churches

Canada. The other faction is opposed to any such rash action. The Head Centre or Chairman of the Convention has published the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate their respective owners to the convention of the convention has published the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate their respective owners to the carbinate their respective owners to the carbinate the convention of the convention has published the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate their respective owners to the carbinate that their respective owners to the carbinate the convention of the convention has published the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate the convention of the convention has published the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate the convention has published the cloudless sky, he anak slowly back and carbinate the cloudless sky, he anak

The English Press and the President's unried : "The town of the measure justified as in presention the American Government are desirous of keeping on good serms with those whom they someorings to be their

The London Telegraph declares the doc-ument reflects the highest credit upon its author; that it furnishes the world with satisfactory augurids of peace; and thus it llustrates a spirit of menly, straight forward nonesty and fair play.

The London Morning Herald is silent upon The London Standard says, that, though the message may not be all that it could be wished, it is as moderate and entispectory as

could be reasonably expected or hoped. That the President should treat England

with injustice and anger was to be taken for Tennessee Delegation.-The following paragraph from the National Intelligencer would indicate that the prospects of the early admission of the Tennessee delegation are

some quarters : The Davis family is living in this city, and in low circumstances. It consists of Mrs. hint that in virtue of some understanding the Tennessee members elect are to immediately (and those of the Southern States Convent, and young Jeff. Davis is at the col-lege at Lennoxville. The family, while living on Richmond square of this city, were visited by Cols. Johnson and Sutherland and to contradict this in toto. Nevertheless, we Capt. Richardson, of the late C. S. A., who are constrained to say, after due inquiry, showed great respect to the family of their that the assurances thus convoyed are prefallen chief, and are described as gentleman- mature, and that the information on which

that they had to leave a house where the living was small to go into another where it matter. Mr. Maynard has returned to Knoxville.

> Governor Holden's Views.-The London Pimes, of November 30th, publishes two letters from North Carolina. From a letter. dated Raleigh, Nevember 9th, we quote the following account of an interview with Gov.

The Provisional Governor of North Carolina, Mr. Holden, resides in this town, and I took the eppertunity of making some inerson very little is seen in this city. They are both described as fine children, the girl being nine years of age and the boy about seven, the latter resembling his father in some points. ealamity to the black race. He was quite sure they would never work unless they were made to do so. The State had always The young lady is particularly so, and the | had laws to compel white vagrants to work, two boys, with boyish boldness, speak very freely, and now and then include in little same way. I told him of the system in use ebullitions of anger, saying what they would in India with the ryots on indigo and tea do if they were men, etc. In regard to this, Willie one day placed a row of apples on a tract law to him, and I asked whether he thought such a plan would be efficacious

> An Important Decision, - Confederate Money Recognized.-The Lebanon (Tenn.) Register says:

At the October term of the Circuit Court for Cannon county, 1865, a suit was tried hich was predicated upon a prenote payable in Confederate money, due in November, 1863.

Judge Cooper held that, innsmuch as the the United States had acknowledged the ry occupation of the Confederates, would be valid and binding upon tae parties, and Of course an accurate estimate can not that the plaintiff would be entitled to ree made from such imperfect data of the cover whatever the proof showed the Connumber of troops sent to the field from this | federate money to be worth at the time when Important Revenue Decision -The law

> An immense meeting was held in Leavenworth City, Kansas, on the 6th inst, which

adopted resolutions endorsing the President's administration and reconstruction policy, and declaring that the status of the States recently in rebellion was suspended, the Alabamians in the army of Northern but not destroyed. The meeting endorsed the whole number in the field from this tion, making the actual suffrage the basis of State; and that, while the ratio of casualties representation, and advocating the continu-The number of Southern prisoners captured and paroled during the war amounted, in round figures, to three hundred and twen-

> number of Union prisoners captured by the Confederates during the war is stated to have been one hundred and fifty-seven Fire in Church.-Yesterday some of the decorations in Calvary church caught fire from the gas, and might have spread so as to consume the whole edifice, had not Dr. White exhibited a coolness and presence of mind as to have the flames put out in a few minutes. Very little injury beyond the

burning of a communion cloth and scorohing

ty-nine thousand, of which one hundred and

seventy-three thousand were taken during

the last six months of the rebellion. The

of the sanctuary paling resulted from the fire.—Memphis Ledger 27, utt. Old Williamson Ahead .- There, was a child born in this county this week, fully There can be no doubt in history that and finely developed, which was neither Gen. Lee, in taking his army from Richmond male nor female, but both male and female,

Artemus Ward starts out in his prospe

drinks in this sweet music [we pay our

Thought it was a Conundrum -The last "See that we are buried," whispered the the same revelation of his father's designs. fallen?" After a short pause Artemna